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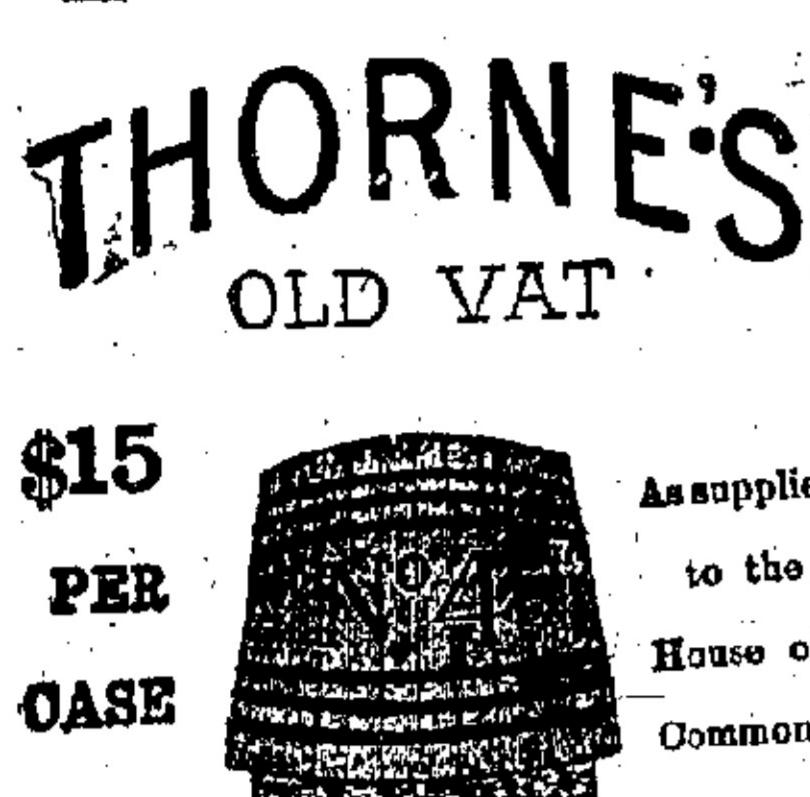
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13th RAJPUTS CELEBRATE  
ALIWAL DAY.

Major Evans and Officers of the 13th Rajput were at Home to a very large number of friends on the ground of the United Services Recreation Club, Kowloon, on Thursday afternoon when the celebration of Aliwal Day was held. Amongst those present were His Excellency Major General Broadwood, Colonel Darling and Commodore Lyon. The band of the regiment under Bandmaster Coke was in attendance and rendered many choice selections of music in their well-known efficient style.

The greatest interest was displayed in the several athletic events, the chief results of which were as follows:—

SCOUTS EVENT, SIX MILES RACE AND ROAD  
RECORD.—1st. Bhair Singh, H. Co., 59  
minutes.

120YDS. HANDBALL, NATIVE OFFICERS.—  
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POTATO AND BUCKET RACE.—Sepoy  
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Corp. Andrews (the Buffs) 1; Lance Corp.  
Read (the Buffs) 2.

ALARM POSTS.—B. Co., time 3m. 25sec.  
BLIND MAN'S BUFF.—Lance Naick, Moir  
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TUG OF WAR.—No. 4 Double Co.  
MEELE.—Divided between C and H Co.  
after three draws.

MAXIM GUN CONTEST.—No. 3 Double Co.  
OBSTACLE RACE.—H. Co. Time ten  
minutes. A special prize was given by  
officers for another race over the course in  
which there were sixteen obstacles and this  
was won by A. Co.

Mrs Camilleri very kindly presented the  
prizes at the conclusion of the sports, and  
she was accorded three hearty cheers.

UNION CHURCH LITERARY  
CLUB.

Last evening the Club celebrated the  
150th anniversary of Robert Burns. A  
portrait of Robbie adorned the platform.  
A very large gathering of members and  
others honoured the occasion. Mr J. D.  
Auld gave an enthusiastic but discriminating  
appreciation of the Poet's works,  
especially the songs. Though there were  
traits in his character and some of  
the songs which we wished away, we  
must still think of Burns as the re-  
former and purifier of Scottish Song. His  
own replaced what was often both poor  
and impure. His personal characteristics,  
surroundings and powers were compactly  
and happily touched upon. There followed  
this character sketch a rendering of some  
of the songs. "There was a lad was born  
in Kyle," "The dell's awa' wi' the ex-  
cise-men," "Ye Banks and Braes o' Bonnie  
Doon," "Mary Morison," "O' a' the airts  
the win' can blaw," "Scots wha ha wi'  
Wallace bleid." In this section Mr Auld  
was ably helped by Mrs Couland and Mr  
Fleming. Among the encores demanded  
by the enthusiastic audience there were  
given "The Laird o' Cockpon," "Leslie  
Lindsay." The last part of the pro-  
gramme consisted of a rendering of "Tam  
o' Shanter." This was as much recited  
as read with great gusto by Dr J. C.  
Thomson, who gave full value to the  
explosive lables and rattling r's. By means  
of the latter the poem was illustrated  
with some thirty of George Cruikshank's  
quaint drawings beautifully coloured and  
brightly illuminated. The whole evening  
was a great success. Next week one of the  
most breezy, humorous, scientific men in  
South China is down for the programme,  
viz., Dr C. K. Edmunds, of Canton College.

The liner Republic, which recently  
sank off Nantucket, and whose 600 pas-  
sengers were all rescued by the Balde, was  
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HONGKONG, FRIDAY, JANUARY 29, 1909.

CALIFORNIA AND JAPAN.

We are glad that the moral situation of President ROOSEVELT seems likely to prevail and that the violently anti-Japanese legislation which the Lower House of the California Legislature so gleefully passed the other day has little likelihood of coming into actual force. But so long as California behaves like a spoilt, self-opinionated woman determined to have her own wilful way regardless of the consequences to others, we fear that more or less friction will continue to prevail on both sides of the Pacific and that it will tax the diplomatic ability of America and Japan to keep the resulting unpleasantness within reasonable limits. It is a great pity that one of the principal states of the great confederation of North America should have developed this spirit of racial antipathy to such a virulent degree, but the feeling is too deeply ingrained to be ignored and wise men must accordingly take measures to circumvent its more mischievous effects. There seems little doubt that the tide of Japanese emigration to California has almost ceased to flow of late, for Japan always loyally carries out her international agreements, and therefore the present time was most inopportune to reopen what most folk had hoped was a closed question. But State Congressman DAVIS and his associates

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MEMOS FOR TO-MORROW.  
Amusements.

9 p.m.—Harmston's Grand Circus at Causeway Bay.

General Memoranda.

MONDAY, February 1.—  
Goods per *Chase* undelivered after this date subject to rent.

Transfer Books of China Provident Loan and Mortgage Co., Ltd., close from this date to 8th Feb., inclusive.

TUESDAY, February 2.—  
2.45 p.m.—Auction of Household Furniture, at 54, Morrison Hill Road.8 p.m.—Concert of Preliminary in City Hall. Goods per *Endeavour* undelivered after this date subject to rent.WEDNESDAY, February 3.—  
Register of Shares of Kowloon Land and Building Co., Ltd., close from this date to 9th Feb., inclusive.SATURDAY, February 6.—  
11.30 a.m.—Meeting of The China Provident Loan & Mortgage Co., Ltd., at Co.'s Offices.MONDAY, February 8.—  
Transfer Books of Hongkong & Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd., close from this date to 22nd Feb., inclusive.TUESDAY, February 9.—  
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Other Bills introduced before the California House of Assembly having an anti-Japanese flavour were the following:—1. To add "Japanese children," to the clause, "The Board of Education may establish special schools for the Indian children, Mongolian and Chinese children." 2.

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The letter press portion contains a useful directory for Hongkong, Macao, Canton, Amoy, and Swatow, which is well produced, being strongly made, and should command a ready sale.

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His Lordship—It may be a misunderstanding.

His Lordship—Will you adjourn it until Thursday?

Mr Thomson—The plaintiff says it is settled, but defendant denies it (laughter).

Mr Otto Kong Sing—Those were my instructions.

His Lordship—The defendant may not get his costs.

Mr Thomson—I don't suppose they ever win their costs.

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**EIGHT CHARGES AGAINST CHAN PIK.****HIS SUCCESSOR NAMED.**

(Wah Tsz Yat Po's Service.)

PEKING, January 28.

The members of the Consulate (both Chinese and Manchu) have presented a joint memorial to the Throne impeaching Chan Plik, President of the Board of Communications, on eight charges. The Prince Regent feels strongly on the matter.

Prince Pa Lui will probably be appointed to Chan Plik's position.

**LATE VICEROY OF CANTON.**

(Wah Tsz Yat Po's Service.)

PEKING, January 28.

The Prince Regent has sent a private telegram to Chea Chin Hsin, the late Viceroy of Canton, requesting him to come to Peking to see him. Chen is said to be preparing to proceed.

**CHINA'S CONSTITUTION.****OPPONENTS TO BE SEVERELY DEALT WITH.**

(Wah Tsz Yat Po's Service.)

PEKING, January 28.

The Prince Regent intends to make it a rule that all officials opposing the establishment of the new constitution shall be dismissed and never allowed to become members of the proposed national Assembly, while the gentry who in any way impeded the new movement are to be similarly dealt with.

**HARMSTON'S CIRCUS.**

This popular amusement combination thoroughly believes in the policy of change and variety, and its latest decision has been to arrange an amateur riding contest, which will take place on Tuesday night. In connection with this enterprising step a handsome trophy will be presented to the competitor making the best attempt to stand on his feet three times round the ring on the pad, aided by the mechanic. The number of entries will be limited to six, and those intending to compete should send in their names to the circus proprietor as soon as possible.

Attention is directed to the fact that there is to be a matinee performance on Saturday.

**THE MANILA CATTLE TRADE.**

We have been asked to publish the following letter:

(To the Editor of the Manila Daily Bulletin.)

Dear Sir,—Inasmuch as the Norwegian steamer Standard has come for an undue share of adverse criticism through some of the Manila newspapers because of an alleged infraction of cattle regulations I offer the following: About two years ago I made my first trip with cattle from Amman to Manila. I had been informed that there existed no regulations as to fittings required by vessels engaged in the cattle trade except at the ports of Singapore and Hongkong. Steamers bringing cattle to the Philippines save from the two above mentioned ports used to carry cattle without stables. The Standard made several trips here along the first part of 1906. Last year I made seven trips from Amman and one from Aping. According to the ship's official log book the Standard has carried 3854 cattle in the same voyage out of which thirty-one have died en route. On the trip across from Aping 19 cattle were lost but as most were found dead the dead I have reason to believe that part was the cause of the mortality. The cattle were unharmed. The Standard has maintained the same fittings on all her trips across the China sea and no animals suffered from broken legs and the best possible care has been taken of the cattle while in transit. On the various voyages the Standard has encountered good as well as bad weather. The trip from Aping was a terrible one and came with great danger. The fact that the Standard arrived here from the Formosa cattle port with a very small loss of animals under such trying conditions would plainly indicate that the Standard's fittings are in every way suitable. Had I been notified by the Insular authorities that my fittings were unsuited for the trade I would have demanded proper fittings from my charterers, such as would comply with existing regulations. This matter being entirely up to the local importers who chartered the "Standard."

The statement that the cattle were cruelly treated is absolutely denied. The animals have never been fastened with nose rings, but the lines have always been passed around the horns. The cattle we received at either Amman or Aping were poorly nourished having been for days without hay or water prior to their embarkation on the "Standard." I once refused to sail until more food was sent on board which detained my ship for a day and caused the importers to make a deduction of a third on the promised payment.

I consider being considered a cruel man. I wouldn't attend a Manila cockfight nor would I find pleasure in witnessing this exhibition of cruelty.

Thanking you for your valuable space—

CAPTAIN H. BULL,

Master Nov. S.S. Standard.

Norwegian s.s. Standard.

January 3, 1909.

**SPORTING.****Cricket.**

CIVIL SERVICE "A" v. DODWELL'S TEAM.

The following will represent the Civil Service Club on the Civil Service ground at 2 p.m., on Saturday:—A. E. Davy, captain; A. G. File, F. E. Beach, P. R. Adams, E. W. Dawson, H. Coombs, J. Mackay, S. J. Taylor, E. Gibson, W. H. Kelly and J. Hutchings. Reserves:—C. Bond and R. Thomas.

**League Cricket.**

PICTURES FOR SATURDAY.

Hongkong "A" v. Kowloon.  
Hongkong "B" v. R.G.A.  
Craignegowar v. Telegraphs.  
Civil Service v. Police.

CIVIL SERVICE v. POLICE.

The following will represent the Civil Service Club on Police ground at 2 p.m., on Saturday:—F. A. Biden, captain; L. E. Brett, H. Ellis, J. McEwan, H. R. Phillips, A. R. F. Raven, E. B. Reed, A. R. Sutherland, F. Sutton, A. M. Thornhill, R. C. Witchell.

HONGKONG "A" v. KOWLOON.

The following will represent Kowloon:—J. P. Robinson, W. E. Dixon, W. G. Martin, J. H. Mead, S. Lightfoot, J. F. Jewell, Major Chitty, Lt. Balderson, Lt. Richardson, W. F. Brower and L. J. Blackburn.

The following will represent the Hongkong "A" team:—W. G. D. Turner, A. E. Lansing, A. P. Dashwood, J. Hall, A. Mackenzie, E. Irving, E. C. Oliver, R. N. Rev. W. H. Maundrell, R. N., Lieut. Tovey, R. N., Lieut. J. C. Innes.

CRAIGENGOWAR v. TELEGRAPHHS.

This match will take place on Saturday at 2.15 p.m. on the former Club's ground, Craignegowar team:—L. E. Lammer, Capt., G. A. Hancock, R. Bass, A. O. Brown, W. H. Viveash, R. Penton, J. D. Norris, A. Osman, J. D. Kinnaird, L. A. Rose and S. R. Baldwin.

HONGKONG "A" v. R.G.A.

The following will represent the "B" team:—R. Hancock, H. Hancock, T. E. Pearce, F. J. Goldthorpe, W. J. Daniel, S. S. Logan, W. E. L. Shenton, A. O. Lang, F. H. H. Stevens, H. D. Sharpen, P. Jacks.

**League Table.**

Club	Played	Won	Lost	Drawn	Points	Per centage
Hongkong "B" v. R.G.A.	7	0	0	7	100.00	
Civil Service	10	8	1	3	77.72	
Hongkong "A"	7	3	1	3	50.00	
Telegraphs	9	6	2	1	4	50.00
Craignegowar	10	3	4	0	nil	
R.G.A.	8	2	5	1	3	42.85
Kowloon	10	2	8	0	6	60.00
H. K. Police	8	1	6	1	5	71.43
Royal Engineers	9	1	7	1	6	75.00
N.B.—(A) Win counts 1 point. (B) Loss counts 1 point. (C) Draw counts 0.						

**Hongkong Football Shield.**

BUFFS "A," 4; v. ECFS "B," 0. The meeting of the first and second strings of the Buffs regiment in the opening round of the Hongkong Football Shield at Happy Valley yesterday afternoon produced a capital game. The standard of play was high and the manner in which both sets of players operated was the greatest compliment to the sporting proclivities of the regiment. The only regrettable feature was that two such capable sides from the same battalion should have been drawn together at this early stage in the competition, for after yesterday's display it is certain that even the losers would put up more than a level fight with several of the teams who are sufficiently fortunate to still remain in the programme. The "A's" were represented by the men who had been doing so well in the League, with one exception, Ruler being unable to turn out owing to an injured leg, while the opposing side included several tried men.

Gunner Marsh, R. G. A., was in charge of the game, and soon after the start the "B's" were seen attacking. At the result of a corner Fitzpatrick was called upon to save, while a few seconds later the ball was almost headed through, this incident being followed by the centre-half forcing the keeper to fist to the corner. The danger was not over, for from the subsequent kick one of the "B" men was all but successful with a hooked shot which sent the ball whirling just around the post. The siege being raised, the "A" forwards took up the running, Brewster heading over the bar, and the goalkeeper being compelled a moment later to take a flying kick in order to effect a clearance. At length the score sheet was opened. The leather came across from a throw-in, fastened on to it, passed it on to Brewster, who lost no time in finding the right spot. It looked as if the other side were to have their revenge at once, for their front rank immediately got down into their opponents' territory through the instrumentality of the right wing, and almost before the spectators had got over the excitement produced by the scoring of the first point, Taylor dropped in a high shot which looked all over a scorer. After this the "A" players resumed the attack and before the interval Brewster again displayed his skill by registering goal No. 2.

The first incident of note in the second half was a freekick for the leaders just outside the penalty area. It was entrusted to Taylor, who was very nearly successful,

the keeper, however, managing to tip the leather over the bar. After Brewster had missed a penalty by sending over, Taylor took advantage of a partial clearance by the custodian, and put on the third point. But, for the "B" side made several splendid efforts to wipe off some of the arrows, but without avail, and before time

the "A's" once more got through from a fine shot of Brewster's.

The Hongkong representatives meet the Royal Engineers on Saturday while the Moles are opposed to the Bedford. Team also to meet in the first round, R. G. A., and King Alfred having received bye. The Buff's "A" have now to meet the R. G. A.'s in the second round and the Naval team will be drawn to meet the winners in the next round between the Moles R. C. and H. M. S. Bedford.

The Buff's "B" and the R.O.C. have been knocked out in the first round. Both the Moles R. C. and Hongkong "A" should be good matches and will doubt draw a considerable crowd.

MOLES R.C. v. H.M.S. BEDFORD.

In this Shield match, to be played on Naval ground on Saturday at 4 p.m., the following will represent the M.R.C.—Goal, N. Mahmud; backs, S. Hartman, J. M. Dyer; half backs, Kushal Khan, Alim Khan, S. K. Moos; forwards, A. G. Suffield, S. E. Ismail, A. el. Arculli, C. G. Marker and A. M. Suffield.

HONGKONG CLUB v. ROYAL ENGINEERS.

In this match in the first round of the Hongkong Shield Competition, to be played on the Club's ground on Saturday, the R.E. are holding their strongest side namely:—Powers, Beardmore and Coxon; Laud, McCrory, and Edwards; Jackson Morris, Measey, Wallbank, Taylor and Tovey. R.N. and S. R. Baldwin.

LEAGUE FOOTBALL.

PICTURES FOR SATURDAY.

Naval Yard, v. R.O.C. 2.30 p.m., Naval Ground, Referee, Gunner Marsh.

R.G.A. v. R.A.M.C. 2.30 p.m., Military Ground, Referee, Mr. Buryard.

Y.M.C.A. v. Lusitano Club, 4 p.m., Military Ground, Referee, Corp. Edwards.

NAVAL YARD v. R.O.C.

The following will represent the Naval Yard United in their League match on Saturday on the Naval Ground at 2.30 p.m.—Goal, Whittemore; backs, F. C. Joughin and Bacon; halves, Combs, Glover and Pasco; forwards, Raney, R. P. Carter, Gillespie, Coyne and Dahlkill.

SCRATCHES FOR SATURDAY.

Naval Yard, v. R.O.C. 2.30 p.m., Naval

Ground, Referee, Gunner Marsh.

R.G.A. v. R.A.M.C. 2.30 p.m., Military

Ground, Referee, Mr. Buryard.

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Ground, Referee, Corp. Edwards.

NAVAL YARD v. R.O.C.

The following will represent the Naval

Yard—Khan, Abbas, Abbas, Chew, Wong, Condiero, Chumpet, Parlow, Blackmore, Goldenberg, Jax, Reserves:—White and Muskett.

CROSS COUNTRY RUNNING.

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ROWING.

PICTURES FOR SATURDAY.

Scratch Four-ox Race held on the 16th inst., it has been arranged by the Boat House Sub-Committee to have another Scratch Race on Saturday, February 27th.

Entries close on Thursday, Feb. 6th.

PADDY—the next best thing. By GEORGE PAGE.

London, Messrs George and Co.

Poor old General Adair dearly longed for a son, but his second child turned out to be a daughter so he named her Patricia, and then as she crept into his heart and in a thousand ways compensated him for his disappointment he nicknamed her Paddy—the next-best-thing. And so she remained to the end of the story. A brown-skinned, snub-nosed tomboy, she had everybody in the boudoir of love before her skirts were lengthened and she kept mon in thrill ever after that event had faded into the long past. But much trouble came for sweet, loveable Paddy. She lost her father, her cherished Irish home; her sister secures, though by all fair means, the man whom she loved; and she drinks the waters of bitterness as few are called upon to drink them. But in the end came happiness and it is a big-souled quiet determined Englishman who finally wins the great treasure of her love and brought her the peace which she greatly desired. Miss Page has told Paddy's sad tale with great charm; her characters stand out from the canvas, living breathing entities, and her book once read will be kept for a second perusal.

SUICIDES AT SAIGON.

A sensational suicide was the topic of

the hour at Saigon, on the 9th instant, when a soldier just arrived from France shot himself with a revolver.

A love affair seems to have unhinged his mind, and he carried off a revolver from the officers' quarters. Then he wrote a letter to his commanding officer informing him of his intention and the reason for the rash act.

The soldier at once sent two soldiers to make inquiries, but the commander-in-chief came to arrest him. Hardly had the soldier passed his lips when he drew the pistol from his belt and shot himself dead before his comrades could interfere. He was 20 years of age.

The public had scarcely recovered from

the shock, when newspapers, on the 11th instant, announced another suicide.

This was that of a man of war-quarter master who was a musician that he became a member of the Admiral's band.



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STEAMERS to COLOMBO	Leave HONGKONG	Connecting Steamers from COLOMBO to MARSEILLES & LONDON (Brindisi 2 days earlier)	Due at MARSEILLES (Brindisi London 1 day later)	Due at Plymouth (London 2 days earlier)
TONS DEVANHA .....	Noon Saturday 19.6	TONS MOORE .....	Saturday, 19.6	Saturday, 19.6
BRITANNIA .....	Feb. 6	MOOLTAN .....	Mar. 6	Mar. 13
DELTA .....	Feb. 20	CHINA .....	Mar. 20	Mar. 27
MACEDONIA .....	Mar. 20	(through steamer)	April 3	April 10
DELHI .....	April 3	MALWA .....	April 17	April 24
DEVANHA .....	April 17	MONGOLIA .....	May 16	May 8
..... 8000		..... 10000		May 22

Passengers change steamers at COLOMBO, and those for BRINDISI transfer also to the Express Mail Steamer at Port Said.

Accommodation in the connecting steamer from COLOMBO is arranged in Hongkong at time of booking.

In addition to the above Mail Steamers the following:-

**INTERMEDIATE (NON-TRANSHIPMENT) STEAMERS**

WILL LEAVE FOR

**LONDON,**

CARRYING SALOON PASSENGERS AT REDUCED RATES.

STEAMERS	Leave HONGKONG	Due at
TONAGE	about	about
* NYANZA .....	Feb. 10	March 27
* MALTA .....	Feb. 24	April 10
* NORE .....	March 10	April 24
* PALAWAN .....	March 24	May 9
SUMATRA .....	April 12	May 27
* PALMA .....	April 21	June 6

These Steamers call also at Singapore, Penang, Colombo, and at Malta or Marseilles.

\* Carry 1st and 2nd Saloon Passengers.

For further particulars, Apply to

E. A. HEWETT,  
Superintendent.

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**THE EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP CO., LIMITED. MAIL SERVICE TO AUSTRALIA.****MAIL SCHEDULE.**

(SUBJECT TO MODIFICATION).

STEAMERS	ARRIVE HONGKONG FROM AUSTRALIA.	LEAVE HONGKONG FOR AUSTRALIA.
EASTERN.....		3rd February.
ALDENHAM .....	8th Feb.	4th March.

The above Steamers are fitted with Refrigerating Machinery, ensuring a plentiful supply of Ice, Fresh Provisions, etc., and are lighted throughout with Electricity. All State-Rooms have Electric Fans. A duly qualified Doctor and Stewards are carried.

For further particulars, apply to GIEB, LIVINGSTON &amp; CO., Agents.

Hongkong, November 2, 1908.

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**HONGKONG—MANILA.**

Highest Class, newest, fastest and most luxurious Steamers between Hongkong and Manila.—Saloon amidships.—Electric Light—Perfect Culano Surgeon and Stewards carried.—All the most up-to-date arrangements for comfort of Passengers.

**CHINA AND MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.**

Steamship.	Tons.	Captain.	For	Sailing Dates.
ZAFIRO .....	2540	R. Rodger .....	Manila	Saturday, Jan. 30, at Noon.
RUBI .....	2540	R. W. Almond .....	Manila	Feb. 6, at Noon.

A special indentment to intending Visitors to the PHILIPPINE CARNIVAL, we are offering a reduced fare of \$50 for passage to Manila and return by our s.s. Zafiro sailing SATURDAY, the 30th January.

Tickets issued at this reduced rate will be available for return by either the S.S. Zafiro leaving Manila on 7th February, or the s.s. Rubi leaving Manila on 13th February.

For Freight or Passage, apply to Shewan, Tomes &amp; Co., General Managers.

**JAVA-CHINA-JAPAN Lijn**REGULAR THREE-WEEKLY SERVICE BETWEEN  
JAVA, CHINA AND JAPAN.

STEAMER	FROM	EXPECTED ON OR ABOUT	WILL LEAVE FOR	ON OR ABOUT
TJIMAH .....	SHANGHAI	First half of February.	JAVA	First half of February.
TJILATJAP .....	JAVA	Do.	SHANGHAI	Do.
TJIFANAS .....	JAVA	Do.	SHANGHAI	Do.
TJEBODAS .....	JAVA	Second half February.	JAPAN	Second half February.
TJIKINI .....	JAPAN	Do.	JAVA	Do.
TJILLWONG .....	JAVA	Do.	JAPAN	Do.

The Steamers are all fitted throughout with Electric Light and have accommodation for a limited number of Saloon Passengers, and will take Cargo to all Native and India ports on bills of Lading.

For particulars of Freight and Passage, apply to the

JAVA-CHINA-JAPAN Lijn.

YORK BUILDINGS, 1st Floor. TELEPHONE, No. 375.

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## Shipping.

**PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.****S.S. 'MACEDONIA', 10,500 tons,**

CAPTAIN C. D. BENNETT, R.N.R.

THIS THROUGH MAIL STEAMER FOR  
MARSEILLES AND LONDON, VIA BOMBAY,

WILL leave Hongkong on MARCH 20th, 1909, staying at Bombay 24 hours only and is due to arrive at:

MARSEILLES... April 17th.

LONDON... April 24th.

FARES TO LONDON.—

1ST Saloon.....£71.10 Single, £106.14 Return.

2ND ".....£48.8 " £ 72.12 "

For further Particulars apply to

E. A. HEWETT, Superintendent.

Hongkong, November 25, 1908.

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GERMAN FINANCES.

A Berlin telegram reports that the Berlin Chamber of Commerce, which fully represents the business men of the German capital, has unanimously condemned the proposed wine and spirits monopoly, and gas, electricity and advertisement taxes. The efforts of the Budget Committee of the Reichstag to reduce the total of the estimates have so far been an entire failure.

The Prussian Financial Minister has made a report on the embarrassed condition of the Kingdom's finances. The deficit in 1907 reached £3,500,000, that of 1908 will most probably reach £2,250,000, and that of 1909 is estimated at almost £2,000,000. The Financial Minister declared that it was urgently necessary to revise the financial relations between the various States and the German Empire, Prussia being no longer able to pay the share claimed by the Federation without resorting to a loan.

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## REVIEW.

The Studio for December.  
Mr. Frederick Yates, who will be remembered by many residents in the Far East, is given a special article in the Studio for December and many of his more recent pictures are accorded the honour of reproduction. Mr. Yates has now come down at Rydal, in the English Lakes, where he is in the midst of scenery which satisfies entirely his love of romanticism. Some striking portrait studies accompany the article on John Lavery, R. S. A., R. H. A.; there is also a sketch by Whistler; there is also a Hokusai print; some capital and distinctive work by the Austrian painter Fischer Ferdinand Schmutz; the unique design for the monument of the Foundation at Geneva, and some pleasing modern designs for architectural gardening. The Studio Talk this month embraces, London, Edinburgh, Glasgow, Paris, Berlin, Munich, and Vienna.

## To-day's Advertisements

## TO LET.

THE ROOM next to the PUBLIC BAR, facing Des Vouex Road.  
Apply to the SECRETARY of the HONGKONG HOTEL CO., LTD.,  
Hongkong, January 29, 1909. 142

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD,  
BREMEN.

## NOTICE.

FOR KUDAT & SANDAKAN.  
Taking cargo at through rates to  
TAUWU, LAHAD DAYU, LABUAN,  
JOLO & MENADO.

THE Steamship  
BORNEO,  
Captain F. Semmler, ready to load on  
MORAYA, a.m. the 1st Feb., will leave on  
TUESDAY, the 1st Feb., at 8 a.m.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD,  
MELOCERS & CO.,  
Agents.

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## SHIPPING

## ARRIVALS.

January 28.  
Loyal, German str., 1,237, Fr. Natzins  
Bengal, German str., 8,366, Porsching  
and Timber.—SANDER, WIELE & CO.

January 29.  
Taming, British steamer, 1,350, A  
Sommerville, Manila Jan. 26, General—  
BUTTERFIELD & SWINE.

Bajou Maru, Japanese steamer, 1,811,  
Y. Fuzhou, Shanghai, via Foochow, Amoy  
and Swatow, Jan. 28, General.—SANDER,  
WIELE & CO.

Huzon, British str., 1,183, J. S. Roach,  
Foochow, via Amoy and Swatow, Jan. 26,  
General.—DOUCOURT STEAMSHIP CO.

Borussia, German str., 8,356, Porsching,  
Shanghai Jan. 26, General.—HAMBURG-  
AMERICA LINE.

Amiral Dupere, French steamer, 7,000,  
Singapore Jan. 23, General.—MESSAGERIES  
MARITIMES.

Fukuro Maru, Japanese str., 1,040, S.  
Kumawachi Moji Jan. 24, Coal—MITSUI  
BISHI GOHI KWABEA.

Fridjof, Norwegian steamer, 891, Olaf  
Andersen, Palo Lau January 21, Coal—  
AGAARD, THOMSEN & CO.

Chouf, German str., 1,055, C. Reber,  
Bangkok January 21, Rice—BUTTERFIELD  
& SWINE.

Moyari Maru, Japanese str., 3,700, J.  
Cochon.—NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

Prosper, Norwegian str., from Canton.

## DEPARTURES.

January 29.  
Korat, for Bangkok.  
Reuchel, for Nagasaki.  
Chen, for Shanghai.  
Gikert, for Hoioh.

Shin Maru, for Canton.  
Hano, for Kwang-chow-wan.

Holden, for Hoioh.  
Hotung, for Swatow.

Quinta, for Hongkong.

## CLEARED.

Nore, for Shanghai.  
Audi, for Hongkong.

Barcelona, for Singapore and Hamburg.  
Animal Doctor, for Shanghai.

Bourton, for Saigon.  
Ganges, for Bangkok.

## PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED.

Per Taming, from Manila, Mr and Mrs  
H. O. Hanna and 9 children, Miss M.  
Maxwell, Miss L. E. Spaulding, Mr H. B.  
Foster, Col. G. R. Colton, Miss M. Colton,  
Mrs N. Cruz, Mrs M. Barling, Messrs Th.  
Hasche, D. Turnbull, J. Rutzkowski, W.  
E. Dempster and C. Fernandez.

ARRIVED.

Correspondence for EUROPE via  
SIBERIA, is forwarded from HONGKONG  
by all vessels sailing for SHANGHAI.

Approximate times of closing mails at  
Shanghai via Daley and Siberia.

4th February

## POST OFFICE NOTICES.

Mails will close:—

For HAIPHONG.  
Per 6 a.m., at 9 a.m., on Saturday, the  
20th Jan.

For MANILA.  
Per 6 a.m., at 9 a.m., on Saturday, the  
30th Jan.

For SINGAPORE.—  
Per Barcelona, at 10 a.m., on Saturday,  
the 20th Jan.

For BANGKOK.—  
Per Ganges, at 10 a.m., on Saturday, the  
30th Jan.

For MACAO.—  
Per Sun Tai, at 1:15 p.m., on Saturday,  
the 30th Jan.

For MANILA, ZAMBOANGA,  
THURSDAY ISLAND, COOK-  
TOWN, CAIRNS, TOWNSVILLE,  
BRISBANE, SYDNEY, ADELAIDE,  
MELBOURNE, PERTH, HOBART,  
LAUNTON, NEW ZEALAND &  
FREEMANTLE.

Per Peruvian steamer, at 4 p.m., on  
Saturday, the 30th Jan.

For SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSIUL.  
Per Jidin Motor, at 5 p.m., on Sat-  
urday, the 30th Jan.

For SHANGHAI.—  
Per Foochow, at 2 p.m., on Monday, the  
1st Feb.

For MANILA.—  
Per Taming, at 3 p.m., on Monday,  
the 1st Feb.

MAILS TO AND FROM UNITED STATES PORTS.

The United States Mail Packet, Kowloon,  
will be despatched on SATURDAY,

the 30th January, with Mail for

China, Japan, Honolulu, San Fran-

cisco, United States, Canada, Per-

u.s.a., which will be closed at 10 a.m.

Printed Matter and Samples at 10 a.m.

Registration at 10 a.m.

Registration, with late fee of 10 cents,  
up to 10 a.m.

Registration, Kowloon B.O., 10 a.m.

No late fee.

Letters at 11 a.m.

Supplementary letters to be sent by 12 p.m.,  
and may be sent by 1 p.m. on February 1st.

## RACES !!

## M. Gains

WILL HOLD HER SHOW

RACE HATS

MONDAY, FEB. 2nd, 1909.

INSPECTION INVITED.

HOTEL MANSIONS

Six Pines  
(over Master Kroes & Co.)

## Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

EXCLUSIVENESS OF LATE ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES REPORTED TO-DAY.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing from Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked *a*, near the Kowloon shore *b*, and those in the body of the shipping of midway between each shore are marked *c*, in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

*Section.*

- 1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.
- 2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Wharf.
- 3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour's Office.
- 4. From Harbour Master's to the Market.
- 5. From the Market to Poddar's Wharf.
- 6. From Poddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.
- 7. From Naval Yard to Blue Building.
- 8. From Blue Building to East Point.
- 9. From Kellet's Island to North Point.
- 10. Kowloon Wharves.
- 11. Jardine's Wharf.

## Vessels Advertised as Loading.

DESTINATION. VESSEL. AGENT. DATE OF LEAVING.

Australian Ports. Eastern (e). Gibb Livingston & Co. Feb. 3, at Noon.

Bornholm, Karberg & Co. about Feb. 12.

Coast Ports & Shanghai. Buoy Marc (e). Osaka Shima Kaihatsu Feb. 2, at 8 a.m.

Europe, &c. Melchers & Co. Feb. 10, at Noon.

Genoa, Mar. 1, London. Nippon Yusen Kaihatsu Feb. 10, at 10 a.m.

Gibraltar & Suez. Butterfield & Swire. About Feb. 10.

Hainan. Shihlin (e). Hamdy & Sons Linie About Feb. 14.

Hapseh & Hamburg. Shihlin (e). Jardine, Matheson & Co. About Feb. 14.

Java. Nippon Yusen Kaihatsu Feb. 6, Daylight.

Kobu and Yokohama. Melchers & Co. Feb. 12, at 9 a.m.

Kodai and Sandakan. Sennex (e). P. & O. S. N. Co. Feb. 6, at Noon.

London, &c. London. Shawan, Times & Co. About Feb. 2.

Udon, &c. H. B. Swan. Swan, Times & Co. About Feb. 2.

Camaventure (e). Shawan, Times & Co. About Feb. 2.

Manila, London & Co. Shawan, Times & Co. About Feb. 2.

Manila, Alcan Ports. Prins Sigismund (e). Melchers & Co. About Feb. 2.

Manila, Alcan Ports. Changra (e). Hamdy & Sons Linie About Feb. 2.

New York. Nippon Yusen Kaihatsu Feb. 1, at 4 p.m.

New York, &c. Nippon Yusen Kaihatsu Feb. 17, at Noon.

Neckar, &c. H. B. Swan. Swan, Times & Co. About Feb. 1.

Neckar & Chinakai. Ichang (e). Hamdy & Sons Linie About Feb. 1.

San Francisco v. Japan. Kowloon Kaihatsu Feb. 9, at Noon.

San Francisco v. Japan. Nippon Maru (e). Toyo Kisen Kaihatsu Feb. 16, at Noon.

San Francisco v. Japan. Sherlia (e). Pacific Mail S.S. Co. Feb. 23, at Noon.

San Folio via Japan. China (e). Pacific Mail S.S. Co. Feb. 23, at Noon.

Shihlin, &c. Shihlin (e). Messageries Maritimes About Feb. 1.

Shihlin, Nippon Kaihatsu (e). Gibb Livingston & Co. About Jan. 30.

Shihlin, Moji, &c. Yama Namang (e). Butterfield & Swire. About Jan. 30.

Shihlin, Moji, &c. Yama Namang (e). Jardine, Matheson & Co. About Jan. 30.

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Shihlin, Moji, &c. Yama Namang (e). Swan, Times & Co. About Jan. 30.

Shihlin, Moji, &c. Yama Namang (e). Douglas Lepak & Co. Feb. 1, at noon.

Shihlin, Moji, &c. Yama Namang (e). Jardine, Matheson & Co. Feb. 4, at 4 p.m.

Shihlin, Moji, &c. Yama Namang (e). S. & P. Pang & Co. Feb. 4, at noon.

Shihlin, Moji, &c. Yama Namang (e). S. & P. Pang & Co. Ltd. Feb. 4, at noon.

Shihlin, Moji, &c. Yama Namang (e). D. Sasse & Co. Ltd. Feb. 4, at noon.

Shihlin, Moji, &c. Yama Namang (e). S. & P. Pang & Co. Ltd. Feb. 4, at noon.

Shihlin, Moji, &c. Yama Namang (e). Nippon Yusen Kaihatsu Feb. 7.

Victoria, B.C., Seattle, Atami Maru (e). Nippon Yusen Kaihatsu Feb. 11.

Victoria, B.C., Tacoma. Suvaro (e). Dowell & Co. Ltd. Feb. 11.

Victoria, B.C., Tacoma. Gynnero (e). Dowell & Co. Ltd. Limited March 11.

Vancouver (B.C.), &c. Empress of China (e). Canadian P. & R. Co. Mar. 2, at Noon.

Vancouver (B.C.), &c. Empress of India (e). Canadian P. & R. Co. Mar. 12, at 7 a.m.

## SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.

January 29, 1909.

Stocks. No. of Shares. Price Paid up.

TANKA. 120,000 \$ 145 all \$28